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COLD CATHODE FIELD EMISSION TECHNOLOGY

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This Supplemental Preliminary Amendment is submitted in the above identified application and Applicants respectfully request that it be entered before the application is examined.

In The Claims

Please enter the following amended claims, a marked up version of which is provided as Attachment A.

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11. (Amended) An improved cathode substrate for a field emission display comprising:
- a substrate;
 - a cap layer disposed on said substrate;
 - an anti-reflective coating, with the anti-reflective coating being associated with the cap layer; and
 - an array of emitter tips formed on said cap layer with the associated anti-reflective coating on said substrate.
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